

The Center for Coastal Protection and Restoration Donor Recognition



North Carolina
Coastal Federation
Working Together for a Healthy Coast

Inspiring a Brighter Future for our Coast

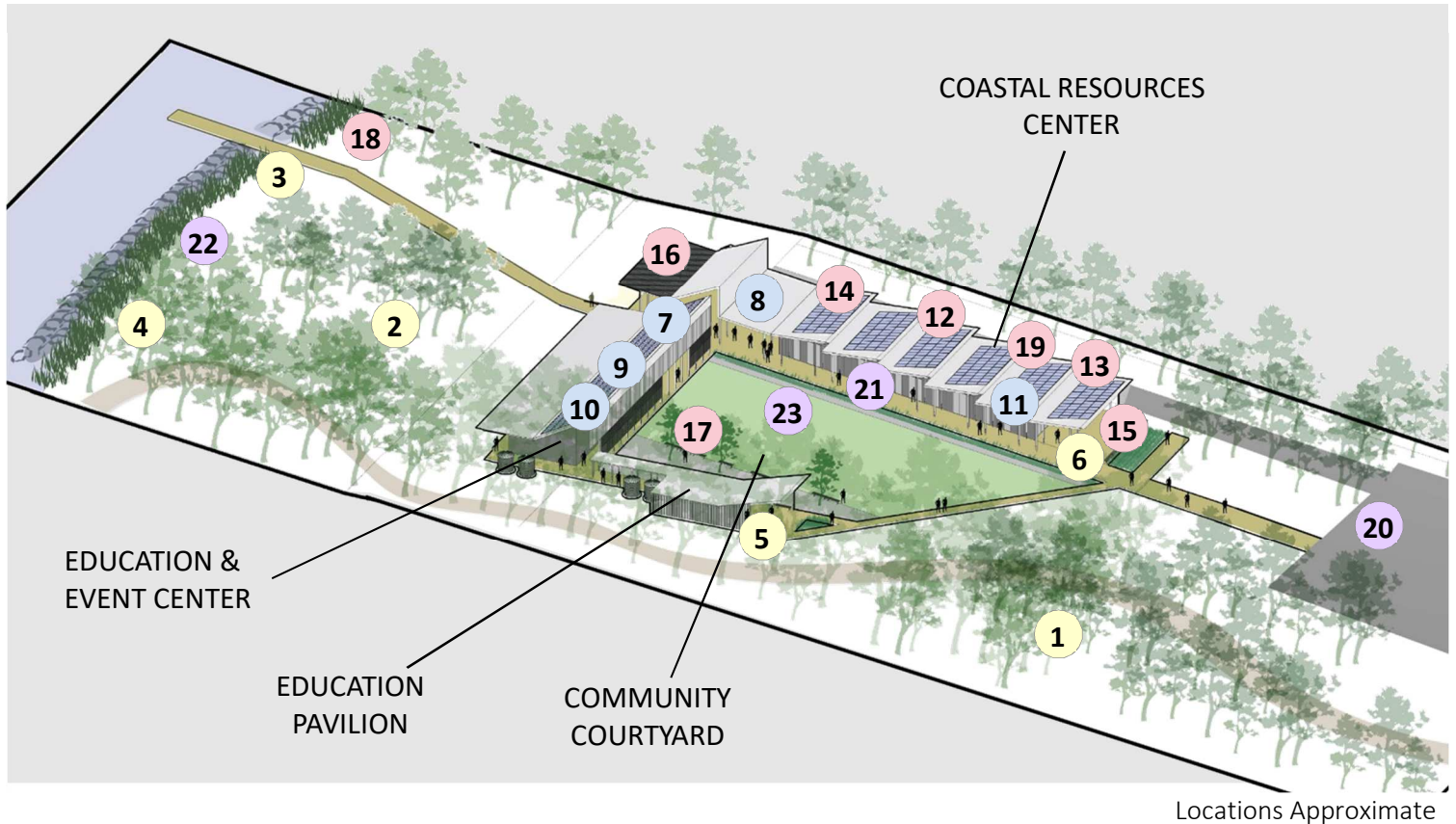
CONNECTING. CONSERVING. INSPIRING

The Center for Coastal Protection and Restoration will provide solutions to ensure a healthy, sustainable and beautiful coast for generations to come. The Center also offers a wide variety of naming opportunities and recognition options to honor those special supporters who share our love for the coast.

Custom Recognition & Sponsorship Opportunities

The federation will work with leadership donors to customize recognition, including individual or corporate sponsorships of rooms, buildings and other features. Landmark recognition opportunities are shown below, and special recognition features identified by number and corresponding description on the following page.

Donors will be recognized with permanent plaques naming rooms or affixed to features, or free-standing wooden signs for outdoor features.



Coastal Resource Center - \$2,000,000

The Coastal Resource Center will be a hub of collaborative leadership, providing support to communities coastwide. Housing the federation's team of coastal experts, the Center will host meetings, the *Coastal Review Online* News Room, Welcome Center, Coastal Library, and Gift Shop.

Education & Event Center - \$1,500,000

The Education & Event Center will provide outstanding recognition at the heart of the Center's education and engagement mission. Whether visiting in person or engaging through remote learning, visitors can actively explore the unsurpassed coastal legacy we all share.

Education Pavilion - \$650,000

The Education Pavilion will honor leadership supporters to the many visitors for programs, volunteer opportunities, and more. The Pavilion will serve as an outdoor classroom for students, a staging area for volunteer activities, a gathering place for celebrations, as well as an open space for the public.

Community Courtyard - \$500,000

The Community Courtyard will provide high visibility for visitors touring the grounds or anyone stepping outside the surrounding buildings for conversation, fresh air, and to enjoy the view. The Courtyard will welcome everyone from visiting experts to trail users in an inviting and interactive educational space.

Outdoor Experiences

Thousands of visitors will connect with nature and learn about the coast through engaging outdoor experiences.

- 1 Native Landscapes & Maritime Forest - \$1,000,000
- 2 Pergola/Gazebo - \$50,000
- 3 Dock Overlook - \$50,000
- 4 Bogue Sound Live Oak Vista - \$35,000
- 5 Benches in Pavilion - \$15,000
- 6 Rocking Chairs on Porches - \$10,000

Education Features

The federation's proven education programs will inspire thousands of adults and students statewide through events, news coverage, hands-on learning, and community workshops.

- 7 Production Studio - \$150,000
- 8 CRO Newsroom - \$100,000
- 9 Learning Lab - \$500,000
- 10 Catering Kitchen - \$150,000
- 11 Exhibits in Lobby & Learning Lab - \$25,000 **RESERVED**

Community Resources

The Center will meet the needs of the community through welcoming public spaces to gather, learn, and connect.

- 12 Coastal Conference Room - \$500,000
- 13 Welcome Center - \$250,000
- 14 Executive Conference Room - \$250,000
- 15 Front Porch - \$250,000
- 16 Interpretive Porch - \$200,000
- 17 Oyster Roast Area - \$100,000
- 18 Oyster Restoration Area - \$100,000
- 19 Coastal Library - \$25,000 **RESERVED**

Environmental Demonstrations

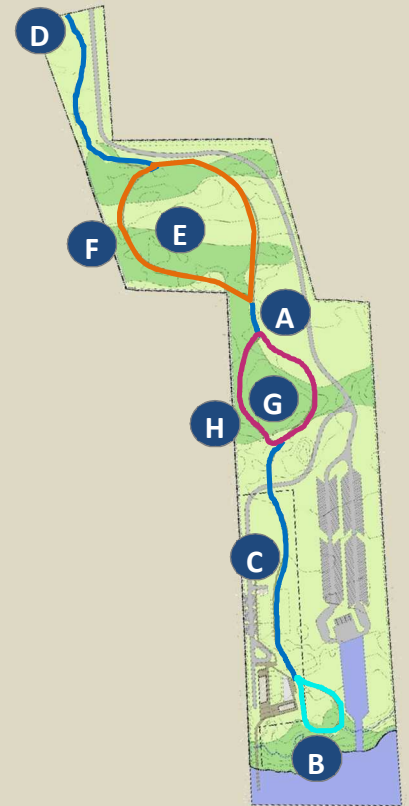
The Center will demonstrate leading techniques for sustainable design, development, and habitat restoration practices.

- 20 Stormwater Demonstrations - \$300,000
- 21 Energy Efficient Features - \$250,000
- 22 Restored Habitats - \$100,000
- 23 Rain Gardens - \$50,000 **RESERVED**

Nature Trails

The nature trails will provide recreation and learning experiences through a variety of coastal habitats.

- A Nature Trail Network - \$250,000
- B Sound Loop Trail - \$100,000 **RESERVED**
- C Main Trailhead - \$50,000
- D Highway 24 Trailhead - \$50,000
- E Northern Wetland Pond - \$25,000
- F Northern Pond Trail - \$25,000
- G Southern Wetland Pond - \$25,000
- H Southern Pond Trail - \$25,000
- I Education Stations - \$15,000 each



Group Recognition

Leadership Donors of \$25,000 or more will be prominently recognized through a group plaque at the following levels:

- Founders - \$1,000,000
- Champions - \$500,000+
- Visionaries - \$250,000+
- Benefactors - \$100,000+
- Guardians - \$50,000+
- Navigators - \$25,000+

You Can Inspire a Brighter Future for Our Coast



“Twenty years from now you will be more disappointed by the things you didn’t do than by the ones you did do. So throw off the bowlines. Sail away from the safe harbor. Catch the trade winds in your sails. Explore. Dream. Discover.”

MARK TWAIN

A shrimp boat leaves the safe harbor of nearby Swansboro

The Center for Coastal Protection and Restoration is a rare opportunity to launch a critical resource for the future of our coast.

The Center will model the solutions to our most pressing challenges, provide training and support to other communities grappling with similar challenges, and provide a gathering place for learning and celebrating the natural wonders of our coast.

With your help, we can:

CONNECT our coastal communities,
CONSERVE our coastal resources and way of life, and
INSPIRE the next generation of coastal stewards.

Join us in bringing this Center for Coastal Protection and Restoration to life.

Contact Development Director Sarah King at sarahk@nccoast.org to pledge your support or learn more.

